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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME **UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed March 4, 2004. A Request for Continued Examination is being filed simultaneously herewith. The extension fee in the amount of \$110.00 is included in the total fee for filing the Request for Continued Examination for the above-identified application, a check for which accompanies this submission. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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